The Standard AND RIVER PLATE NEWS.

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MAUA BANK,

101—103 CALLE CANGALLO

The Office of this Bank having been removed to the above spacious building, in order to suit the increasing flow of business, the public is informed that the following transactions are carried in in currency and specie in this Bank:—

First—Bills and obligations with good signatures are discounted on conventional terms.

Second—Money is advanced on mercantile and other securities approved of by the Manager.

Third—Accounts current are opened with Merchants or other parties who may prefer depositing endorsed and transferable securities, against which they may draw up to an amount previously convened under conditions established for such class of operations.

Fourth—Money is received in account current, bearing interest from day of deposit, which is accumulated in favor of the parties every three months, the depositors being allowed to retire at any time, by means of cheques, part or the full amount at their wish, save when the quantity exceeds three hundred doubloons or one hundred thousand dollars currency, in which case forty-eight hours' previous notice is required to be given at the Treasury of the Bank.

Fifth—Bills or letters of credit are drawn and taken on Montevideo, Rosario, Sta Fé, Salto Oriental, Paysandu, Rio Janeiro, and other places in the Brazils, England and France, as also on other places, of which notice will be given hereafter.

Finally, the Bank undertakes and executes all legitimate transactions within the orbit of banking operations.

The establishment is always open from 10 a.m. till 3 p.m.

P. P. Maua & Co.
M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

January 1st, 1868.

MAUA BANK,

101-103 CALLE CANGALLO.

THRIST FOR CURRENT MONTH.

IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, SPECIE.

For balances in our favor, ..	12 per cent.
For balances in favor of Customers	6 "
IN ACCOUNT CURRENT, PAPER MONEY	
For balances in our favor	12 per c nt.
For balances in favor of Customers	6 "
Deposits on 15 days' notice, paper	"
Do. do. do. gold	"
Do. 30 days' do. paper	
Do. do. do. gold	
Fixed deposits from	

P. P. Maua & Co.,
M. A. de FREITAS AMORIM.

an. 1, 1868.

RIVER PLATE TELEGRAPH COMPANY (LIMITED).

Chief Offices:
CALLE LAS PIEDRAS, MONTEVIDEO.

Central Station:
87 CALLE CANGALLO, BUENOS AYRES.

MAIN LINE:

Buenos Ayres,	San José,
Colonia,	Montevideo,
Rosario, B. O.	

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:

Plaza Constitucion,	Banfield,
South Barracas,	Ferrari,
Lomas de Zamora,	Seppener,
Glew,	Allemarano,
San Vicente,	Gándara,
Chascomus.	

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH:

Retiro,	San Isidro,
Belgrano,	San Fernando,
Olivos,	Tigre.

MAIN LINE TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, $50 m/c., or $f.2.
For every additional Ten Words, $25 m/c., or $f.1.

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:—
Ten Words, exclusive of Address, from Central Telegraph Station, 87 Calle Cangallo, to Plaza Constitucion..... $10 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the South Barracas..... $15 m/c.
From Central Telegraph Station to the other Stations on the Line..... $25 m/c.
☞ Half of the Original Rates for every additional Ten Words.

Messages delivered Free within Three Squares from the Plaza Constitution, and Six Squares from South Barracas, and for every square beyond this distance One Paper Dollar. Special Delivery Rates for other Stations to be fixed upon at the time of receiving for transmission.

The above Rates will be added to the Company's Charges made for Telegrams to or from the Banda Oriental; also to Stations on the Northern Railway.

NORTHERN RAILWAY BRANCH TARIFF:
From Buenos Ayres to the Tigre, &c., and vice versa, Ten Words ..... $20 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words..... $10 m/c.
From the Tigre, or other Stations on the Northern Railway, to Montevideo, or Stations in the Banda Oriental, Ten Words ..... $70 m/c.
Every additional Ten Words ..... $35 m/c.

HOURS OF BUSINESS:
Week-Days (including Feast), ..8 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Sundays, 9 a.m. to 10 p.m., and 5 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Messages for Mail Steamers taken on the Morning of the departure of the Mails from Montevideo for Rio and Europe.

By Order,
JOHN OLDHAM,
Superintendent and Engineer.

TORRES Y SCHICKEDANTZ—Comisionistas de hacienda vacuna, yeguariza y lanar para abadero y matadero, Corrales del Sud, Calle de Estados Unidos 211, idem Defensa 179. 25 xp a5

TO ENGLISH TRAVELLERS

Englishmen, and others visiting Buenos Ayres, will find every home comfort at the Hotel de la Paix, which is the largest and best in this city.

Charges are most Moderate.
Wines Superb.
Table d'Hote on European Style.
Board, with Room, Gas-lights, and Attendance.
HOTEL DE LA PAIX
Corner of Calles Cangallo and Reconquista.

FOR VALPARAISO,

The SHEFFIELD, Captain Murray, will leave for the above port, on or about the 18th. Can accommodate a few cabin passengers.

Apply to C. W. BENN and CO, Calle 25 de Mayo. 104,6p,f16

NEW VESSEL FOR SALE

The Swedish Schooner Rio, of 110 English tons burden, copp. ered and copper-fastened, built at Gefle, in Sweden, in the month of July, 1868, classified Veritas, for seven years, 3/3 A 11; drawing with full cargo eight feet of water, is for sale.

Rarely does an occasion offer for buying a small vessel combining so many qualities, for she was built under the direction of the Swedish captain who has made several voyages to the River Plate, and many trips up the Parana and Paraguay, and nothing was omitted in the construction for making her a first-rate sea and river craft.

She is strongly built and very swift, for notwithstanding bad weather and contrary winds, she made her first voyage from Cadiz to Montevideo, with a full cargo, in 56 days.

Everything on board the vessel is in the best order, in fact, she is in every way ready for sea. For the greater convenience of intending purchasers, she has been anchored near the Mole, and those who desire to see her can easily get on board.

For further information apply to Sr. Dn. P. Ebbek, Escribano, Calle Victoria, 200.

101,Sp,f16

COACH FACTORY,
331—PERU—331.

Messrs. Bess, Tyches, and Co., successors to Brunet, have on Sale a magnificent Coupé, lately brought from Europe, and almost new; also a number of cheaper and stronger Coaches for town or country.

N.B. All classes of repairs made. 93,1m,f16

CHOLERA PREVENTED OR CURED.

ENGLISH REMEDIES.

Just received, a small supply of English Cholera Remedies, from the Establishment of C. Corfield, of Birmingham.

Also some Homœopathic Cholera Remedies.

Each Bottle bears the name of C. Corfield.

To be had at the Botica de los Angelitos corner of Calles Chacabuco and Potosi. 92,6p,f16

BY ORDER OF THE COURT.

SR. FELIPE EUGUARTE PICOS will Sell by Public Auction in the Town of Mercedes, on the 15th inst. in the Town-hall, Four Flocks of Sheep, with Corrales, Cart Horses, and other chattels of less value, the property of Jame Murray, deceased.

For further particulars, intending purchasers can apply to the Auctioneer, whose Office is in the town. 33,10p,f6

LONDON AND RIVER PLATE BANK (LIMITED.)

CALLE DE LA PIEDAD,
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista.)

Authorised Capital .....£2,000,000 sterling.
Subscribed Capital ..... £1,500,000 do.
Reserve Fund Jan. 1868.....£145,000 do.

Current accounts opened with parties properly introduced and interest allowed on credit balances.

Customers have the advantage of drawing cheques—of having approved bills discounted—of obtaining loans upon negotiable securities—of depositing bills, coupons, &c. for collection—and of lodging with the Bank valuable property in the fire proof strong rooms for safe custody.

Deposit Accounts—Deposits received from the public generally—either for fixed periods or subject to thirty days notice of withdrawal—Interest on which is regulated by the market value of money, the bank notifying any change in the rate by advertisement in the principal daily papers.

Bill of Exchange—issued on the following places—

London,	Hamburg,
Dublin,	Genoa,
Liverpool,	Rio de Janeiro,
Paris,	Montevideo,
Antwerp,	Rosario & Cordoba.

All Branches of the National Bank

Buenos Ayres, Jan. 1869.

London and River Plate Bank (LIMITED).

CALLE DE LA PIEDAD.
(Corner of Calle de la Reconquista)

The rates of interest allowed and charged by the Bank will be as follows, till further notice:

ALLOWED.

On deposits in both currencies in account current, } 3 per cent.
On do. do. for 90 days fixed, 5 "
On do. do. subject to 30 days notice of withdrawal, at present } 5 "

CHARGED.

For Discounts conventional according to circumstances;
On debit balances in account current in both currencies, } 12 per cent.

J. H. GREEN,
Manager.

Buenos Ayres, January 28, 1869

RIVER PLATE HANDBOOK, FOR 1869.

☞ ADVERTISEMENTS Received at this Office.

THE ARGENTINE MARINE INSURANCE CO.,
Established in this City,
Insure at Moderate Premiums all Risks by Sea or on the River.
Office—118 CALLE PIEDAD.

DIRECTORS—
Thomas Armstrong, President.
Jacob Parraviani, Vice-President.
Francisco F. Moreno, Manager.
Ambrosio P. Lezica.
Enrique Tomkinson.
Mariano Cusares.
Bernardo Yturraspe.
Antonio Demarchi.

GUINNESS'S
Celebrated Extra Stout
in quarts and pints at
BARRY & WALKER'S,
Sole Agents,
97—Calle Defensa—97.
155—xp m26

TEA! TEA!! TEA.

Notwithstanding the recent Advance in the Price of Tea, I continue to supply my CONGOU (Souchong flavour) at

$16 PER POUND,
By the Chest.

A Quarter-Pound sample may be had for Four Dollars.

Those who study economy should give it a Trial.

CASH ONLY.

C. TURMEAU,
77 PIEDAD,
Established for the Sale of Tea by Retail,
At Wholesale Prices.
82,xp,d10

ENGLISH LIBRARY, MONTEVIDEO.

G. BEHRENS, Successor to Spruneck & Co., respectfully informs the Foreign Public of the River Plate of his receipt of a large consignment of valuable Literary Works, comprising many productions of the best English writers. Always on hand a large stock of the best French and British Stationery.

103 CALLE ZAVALA, MONTEVIDEO.
57,xp.

HOTEL EUROPA
CLARAZ AND TAM,
59—CALLE 25 DE MAYO—59.

Coffee and Billiards.
Also a new Selection of Refreshing Drinks.
Mint Julep,
Claret Bowl,
Japanese Cocktails.
Cobblers,
Seltzer Water. 72,xp,d12

66—CALLE 25 DE MAYO—66
CAFE DU HAVRE — FURNISHED ROOMS.

Coffee and Tea in the Morning and Evening.
Bouillon, Sandwiches, Breakfast.
Bordeaux and Burgundy, Wines.
Hock and Cider.
Toda clase de cerveza.
Billiards.

NESTIER AND VEYRIOL,
Proprietors xp. d1127

HENDERSON AND MURDOCK
69 AND 71 CALLE BELGRANO,
Have always on hand a large stock of Champagne, Claret, Rhine, Hungarian, Port and Sherry Wines of the most famed brands.
Martell and Hennessy's Brandy.
Gin of several approved marks.
Bitters of different kinds.
Ind Coope and Co., and Bass's Ale in Quarts and Pints.
Barclay, Perkins, and Reid's celebrated London Stout in Pints and Quarts
Ale and Porter of the above marks in kilderkins and 36 gallon casks, all of which are guaranteed genuine.
Their price can be had on application, and will be found the most moderate in town. All orders within a circuit of three miles delivered free of expense.

JOHN AND HENRY SPRAGGON
Wool Brokers,
Plaza Once de Setiembre,
1204—Calle de Rivadavia—1204.
Buenos Ayres. 332, xp o2

G. BEHRENS,

103——CALLE ZAVALA——103

Agents for the 'Standard,'

have constantly on hand,
Pianos of Pleyel, Wolff & Co., Paris.
Do of Edward Westermayer, Berlin.
Do of T. Sprunck, Berlin.
Do of J. Blüthner, Leipzig.
Music of all classes.
Stationery.
Books in English, French, Spanish, German, Italian, Portuguese, Dutch, Danish and Swedish.
A large assortment of Engraving and Photographs,
Charts and Maps.
English songs and sacred music.
Books for Children, &c.

G. BEHRENS.
Montevideo, Ce Zavala No. 1 30
p220sm6.

AVISAMOS al Comercio que desde el 1° de Febrero queda disuelta la sociedad que existia en negocio de barraca bajo la rozon de Euler y Kalkkuhl.

Buenos Aires, Febrero 1869.
C. EULER,
E. KALKKUHL.

Con referencia al aviso qué antecede comunicamos al comercio que seguimos con el mismo negocio de barraca bajo la razon de E. Kalkkuhl y Ca.

Buenos Aires, Febrero 1869.
E. KALKKUHL,
D. HIRSCHFELD

THE
PROVINCIAL BANK
OF BUENOS AYRES.

BUSINESS HOURS FROM 10 A.M. TO 4 P.M.

Deposits of not less than $400 m/c. and $f.16 received. These deposits will not be entitled to interest if retired before the expiration of sixty days from the date of such deposit; after sixty days they will be entitled to interest from the date of the deposit. All interests not collected shall at the end of each year be capitalized. All deposits at interest shall be entered in a book which the Bank will deliver to the depositors, in which all payments of interest and capital shall be entered, and all interest shall be payable after the first of the month or on retiring the deposit.

The Bank discounts bills with two signatures having from seven to ninety days to run; it also discounts mercantile bills of from seven days to six months, on the condition that at maturity they are paid in full.

The Bank draws at sight upon the following branches:—

DOLORES,	CHIVILCOY,
SAN NICOLAS,	MERCEDES,
LOBOS.	BARADERO,
SALTO.	AZUL.

The Bank pays commission to Brokers on the first discounting of bills and promissory notes.

LOANS TO THE WORKING CLASSES.

The Bank lends to artizans and operatives sums from three to twenty thousand dollars on their own signature, taking as security a document with any well-known signature

CREDITS IN ACCOUNT CURRENT.

1st. The Bank opens accounts current for commercial houses.

2nd. The security to be either personal, or with documentary values.

3rd. In each case the Bank shall fix the amount of credit.

4th. The Directory shall from time to time arrange the interest chargeable *pro* and *contra*.

5th. Each account shall be liquidated every 60 days.

6th. A pass-book will be given to parties opening accounts current, for entry of cheques and sums deposited.

Till further notice the rates shall be as follows—

Balances in our favor,	6 per cent.
" favor of customers,	2 "

RATES OF INTEREST.

ALLOWS—
private depositors, 5 per cent. per annum m/c.
Do., do, 5 do., do., specie.

To private depositors,
in account current, 2 per cent. per annum do.
Do., do., 2 do., do., cur.

CHARGES—
Discounts in currency, 7 per cent. per annum.
Do., specie, 7 do., do.,

E. V. ZAMUDIO,
Secretary.

Buenos Ayres, March 28, 1867.

NOTICE.—Whereas, it having come under my notice that some foolish or evil-disposed parties have defaced the new notes, by cutting or otherwise obliterating the effigy, and thereby rendering falsification more easy, the Public are hereby warned not to accept such Bills, as the Bank will not receive them.

E. V. ZAMUDIO,
SECRETARY.

Buenos Ayres, Oct. 9, 1867. 183 | xp,m29

"LA ESTRELLA"

ARGENTINE COMPANY FOR INSURANCE AGAINST FIRE, AT FIXED PREMIUM.

CAPITAL, ... 2,000,000 HARD DOLLARS

[Sanctioned by Decree of National Government, October 24th, 1865. Also by the Provincial Executive, dated 23rd of same Month and Year.]

MANAGING COMMITTEE.
PRESIDENT:
Don Enrique Ochoa,
VICE-PRESIDENT:
Don José Martinez de Hoz.
DIRECTORS:
Señor Don Tomas Armstrong.
" " Eduardo Lumb.
" " José Martinez de Hoz.
" " Francisco Bustamante.
" " Manuel S. de Zumaran.
" " Henry N. Hart.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.
INSPECTOR
Guillermo Schnidber.

The Company Insures against Fire on very small Premiums. Every class of Buildings and Goods, whether private or industrial.

Goods in Customs Deposit may be likewise Insured.

Insurers in this Company contract no other obligation than the payment of the stipulated Premium on the Policies, the Company being only responsible for such injuries as they may suffer from Fire.

Among the general conditions of the Policy, there is one of particular advantage to Mortgage Creditors.

The Company offers the following Rewards:—
$f.40 To the first Hose ready to lend assistance.
$f.20 To the second do. do.
$f.20 To the first pipe of water.
$f.4 To each of the five succeeding pipes

Which run to the Fire of any Edifice or Property Insured in THE ESTRELLA, on making known his choice of the Reward, or a Certificate issued by the Police authorities to such as shall have assisted at the mishap.

The Company will also give a Reward of $f.4 to whoever shall present themselves at their Office, to give Notice of any Fire within the Municipal

POLICIES Issued, and all further particulars to be had, at the Head Office, No. 118, PIEDAD; or at any of the Country Agents.

MARITIME DEPARTMENT.

By virtue of Decrees of the 2d of April and 9th of June last, of both Provincial and National Governments, and also having been duly registered in the Public Archives, this Company has been authorised to issue Maritime Policies, in accordance with the laws and regulations, in such case made and provided.

For further particulars, apply to the Office of the Company, 118 Piedad, up stairs.

THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

SPLENDID INVESTMENT
FOR THE
CAPITALISATION OF SMALL INCOMES, PENSIONS, RENTS, &c.

GOVERNMENT DELEGATE:
Sr. Don José Maria Cantilo.
COMMITTEE.
Señor Don Victor Martinez.
" " Eduardo T. Mulhall.
" " Francisco Alcobenaas.
" " Hugo Brunge.
" " Estanislao Frias.
DIRECTOR-GENERAL:
Don Francisco F. Moreno.
OFFICE:
118, CALLE PIEDAD (Upstairs).

POSITION OF THE COMPANY, MARCH 1st, 1868.
SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL:
Hard Dollars, 2,803,772·59.

No. of Policies,.. 2,716 | Securities, $f.947,002·41

It being an admitted fact, that "Money makes money," the object of LA BIENHECHORA could not be better, since it opens a vast Savings Bank for the surplus or savings of the Public, so that, by the proper employment of these small gains, a moderate capital, or even annuity, may be secured in a short time. By this means a provident, though helpless, family can husband their small means, and, in the end, attain a competency.

It being proved that the accumulation of interest is the most powerful means of augmenting the capital, THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA—an Argentine Company, whose only investments are in the country—holds out to Subscribers greater advantages than any other Institution, by reason of all its dealings being in the River Plate, where are current as large interests as in any part of the world.

THE BIENHECHORA DEL PLATA receives Deposits of from Five Patacones per Annum up to any amount in Weekly, Monthly, or Yearly Instalments.

☞ Subscribers enrolled and all necessary information given at the Head Offices of the Company, 118, Calle Piedad, Buenos Ayres.

CUNNINGHAM & PEARSON,
Commission Agents,
Wine and Spirit Merchants,
General Grocers, &c.
44 and 46 Calle Aduana, and 80 and 82 Calle Santa Fé,
ROSARIO.
44,xp,o9

J. P. WELLS.
Wool and Produce Broker,
And Commission Merchant,
No. 5——CALLE DEFENSA——No. 5.
95,xp,jy14

CHAPMAN, CALLENDER, AND COMPANY,
ENGLISH WAREHOUSEMEN,
No. 210, CALLE MISIONES.
AND
No. 160, CALLE SARANDI, MONTEVIDEO.
295,xp,o1

TEA! TEA!

"Small Profits and Quick Returns."

CASH ONLY:
TURMEAU'S MIXTURE,
Full Flavoured, Delicate, and Great Aroma,
$20 per lb.
Quarter-Pound samples for $5.

C. TURMEAU,
77——PIEDAD——77,
Established for the Sale of Tea by Retail,
At Wholesale Prices.
☞ CASH ONLY.
26,y xp

BARTHOLOMEW PARODY
338——RIVADAVIA——338,
Merchant Tailor and Clothier.

FANCY TWEEDS;
MELTONS;
SCOTCH, ENGLISH, AND GERMAN CLOTHS,
For Dress Suits,
Lounging Suits,
Walking Suits, &c.
☞ Ready-made Department.
290,xp,o1

Gold Watches and Clocks
BY
French, Royal Exchange, London,
ON SALE, BY
MOORE, PUNCH, AND TUDOR,
72 CALLE RECONQUISTA.
211,xp,j28

SHERRY.

RICHARD HEATLEY & SONS

Fourth A quality. Third B quality. Second C quality. First D quality.
On Sale by
MOORE PUNCH, & TUDOR,
72—Reconquista—72 66,6p,f12

IN LIQUIDATION.
AT LESS THAN COST.

20 per Cent Discount on Former Prices.

About entering into other business arrangements, and for the purpose of facilitating the liquidation, we now will sell our large assortment of—

Camp Furniture, Chairs, Wardrobes, Yankee Notions, and articles of domestic use generally at a discount of 20 per cent.

For one week only.
Cash on delivery.
79—SAN MARTIN—79

HENDERSON AND MURDOCK beg to inform their Customers and the Public that to meet the daily increasing demand for Wine, Brandy, Ale, Porter, &c., of their own bottling have found it necessary to remove from 108 Vénezuela, to those large and commodious premises, Nos. 69 and 71 Calle Belgrano, lately occupied by Messrs. Paats and Co., nearly opposite the Standard Office, where they hope to meet with a continuance of the favors so largely extended to them since commencing business. As they are now receiving direct shipments (in wood) they will be able to secure to their customers a first-class genuine article. 62,xp,f8

SAILMAKER—CALLE CANGALLO, 36.

In the above Establishment a first-class selection of toldos, sails, valde sin fondo, covers for carts, water buckets, &c. Carpets can always be made to order at the shortest notice, and at a moderate price.

FRANCIS QUINTIN,
Proprietor. 326,xpo29

DRY DOCKS.

THE DIQUE DO COMERCIO, a private Graving Dock in Rio de Janeiro, is open to receive vessels not exceeding 400 feet in length, and 18 feet draught of water.

Arrangements for entrance, cleaning, and painting iron steamers, and supplying same with coal, can be made with ALFRED E. YARROW Calle Sarandi, No. 62, Montevideo. 43,1m,f7
Montevideo. 43,1m,f7

PORONGOS JOCKEY CLUB.

AUTUMN MEETING.

30th and 31st MARCH, 1869.

Entries for the above Race Meeting will be received by the Secretary up to six p.m. on the 20th of March, in Porongos. Entries may be sent into any of the Local Secretaries five days previous to said date.

By Order of the Committee.

N.B. The Programme may be seen on application to any of the Local Secretaries.
46xp,f8

LOUDET,
PHOTOGRAPHER,
344—CALLE PIEDAD—344.

Mons. LOUDET,

Begs to inform the Public of Buenos Ayres and the Argentine Republic, that he continues to take Photographs for the Carte de Visite, full length, and in every other style.

Mons. Loudet visited the Great Exhibition of Paris in 1867, in order to make himself thoroughly and practically acquainted with every improvement in the above important art; and, since his return from Europe, he has placed his Establishment on precisely the same footing as those of the first Photographers in Paris, London, and the principal cities of Europe. The Apparatus, has been selected from the most approved of these in the Paris Exhibition, several of the inventions having received Prize Medals, among which may be mentioned those of Dallmeyer, of Loudon, &c.

Voigtlander e Sohn. The saloons (in which may be included the Atelier) are handsomely furnished and commodious.

Mons. LOUDET feels the most perfect confidence in saying he can produce likenesses in every aspect, infinitely superior to those which have already met with such unbounded approbation from the distinguished Public of Buenos Ayres.

The Public are respectfully invited to inspect the Gallery. 98,f16

JUDICIAL NOTICE

By order of Dr. Agrelo, Civil Judge of the First Instance, two Properties belonging to the Estate of the late Dna. Ana Suarez de Guesalaga, will be Sold by Public Auction beneath the Corridor of the Cubildo, on the Evenings of the 8th, 9th, and 10th of March next, said Properties being situate in the Calle of Buen Orden, Nos. 14 and 16; the first containing 9 metres and 526 milometres in front, by 19 metres, 225 milometres in depth, valued at $186,833 84 cts m/c; and the second lot, consisting of 9 metres 959 milimetres in front, by 27 metres 712 milimetres in depth, valued at $281,309 70 cts m/c.

No bid less than the valuation will be admitted.

Parties interested in the purchase of said Properties can obtain full particulars at the Office of Mr. Edward Munilla.

Buenos Ayres, January 29, 1869.
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BUENOS AYRES CRICKET CLUB PRACTICE.

The Cricket Bus leaves the Colon Theatre every Tuesday and Friday, at Five p.m., for Palermo.
72,113

HOTEL EUROPA,
59, CALLE 25 DE MAYO.
ESTABLISHED A.D. 1809.

Board and Lodging, at $35 a-day, including Coffee in the Morning and Tea at Night.
Day Boarders at Reasonable Terms.
Guinness's Stout.
Bass's Ale.
German Beer.
Genuine VELTLINER and YVORNE Wines.
Rhine Wine.
Bordeaux Wine.
Bourgogne Wine, &c.
Sandwiches and Caldo.
Every description of English and American Drinks.
There is a splendid Billiard-room in the Hotel.
☞ English, French, German, and Italian spoken,
CLARAZ and TAM,
168,xp,jy21 Proprietors.

CAJA DE CREDIT.
21 CALLE PIEDRAS.

Allowed on Deposits in Account Current—
Gold or Paper, ...6 per cent. per annum.
Do., 90 days ..8 do., do.
Do., 6 months..9 do., do.
Do., 12 months10 do., do.

Money advanced on Hypothetical or Collateral Securities, Transfers, Stocks, &c., on conventional terms, according to the money market.

The Directors reserve the power of refusing objectionable moneys.

P. DE MONTRAVEL, Manager.
Buenos Ayres, August 1, 1867. 276,xp,n1

PHOTOGRAPHIC STUDIO,
91—CALLE SAN MARTIN—91
Opposite the Exchange (Bolsa.)

In the Studio of the undersigned Likenesses of every description are taken daily at very moderate rates. On exhibition some superior views of this country (vistas), as also a splendid collection of the works of the great Artist, Thorwaldsen, taken from the original in his Museum at Copenhagen.

The many friends of the Rev. Mr. Smith will also be gratified to find some excellent likenesses of him as well in small as in larger sizes.

GEORGE HOLTZWEISSIG.
222.xp,n26

GENERAL CAMP AGENCY

JOHN C. ESBENS.
Public Agent and Accountant, &c.
73—CALLE VICTORIA—73

Begs to inform his numerous friends in Town and in the Camp, that he is in a position to give the fullest satisfaction to all who may favor him with their commands. He undertakes the collection of accounts, and arrangement of same; also the entire management of testamentaria affairs, which he is thoroughly acquainted with. A quick and honorable despatch may be counted on. Security given if required.

73—VICTORIA—73. 36,xp,o8

DR. JAMES M. AYER
No. 90, CALLE PARQUE.
Hours of Consultation:
From One to Three o'Clock, P.M.
353,xp,o31

CORRALES AND WEHMANN
Consignatorios de Frutos del Pais,
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The Standard.

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THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 18, 1869.

SPECIAL TELEGRAM FOR "STANDARD."

Feb. 17, 1869.

Montevideo, 7.20 p.m.

Gold not so much in demand. Sellers at 5½; after hours, 5. Fomento buyers at 9. No sellers.

Oriental Bank Shares offering at 90.

THE PACIFIC RAILWAY.

The vote of the Provincial Chambers on Tuesday authorizing the issue of one hundred millions of dollars in Provincial Bonds at 80, has given substance to a scheme which hitherto has been regarded as a dream.

Six hundred and forty thousand pounds sterling well invested in any country must do immense good, but disbursed on a railway in a country like this, must, if carefully employed, lead to the most incalculable results.

Hitherto the only Pacific Railway mooted, and in course of construction, was that in the United States, and it will doubtless astonish Europe that a country about which so little is known abroad, and respecting the resources of which there is such ignorance, has undertaken an enterprize for which only the Americans can afford a counterpart.

The very magnitude of the enterprize is calculated to generate an enthusiasm that defeats judgment, as also to provoke the sneers of a few who ever look on the dark side of things, doubtless there are many matters near home which require more attention than a railway track across the Andes; but, if our public men only put their shoulders to the wheel, we may accomplish both. The roads about the city are in a shocking state, the very harbor is blocked up with sunken anchors, whilst ten inches of mud at the mouth of the Boca brings our commerce to a stand still; but we wish to believe we are entering on a new era, that the onward march of the country will not be impeded by the abuses which to the disgrace of our public men have so long existed, and which if allowed to interfere with the progress of the country will prove doubly injurious.

Our business relations with Chile are of so trifling a character and afford such little prospect of any great increase, that it is idle to suppose we would build a railway for the convenience of trade relations. The Argentine Pacific Railway, viewed in its proper light, is nothing more nor less than a scheme to open up the Pampas of South America, people the valley of the La Plata, with what Mr. Helper styles, the hardy, industrious Caucasian race, and to use the words of the same author, "send the savage heels over head to the South Pole."

The legislature has voted the money for the commencement of this gigantic enterprize, let the Government vote the people to work the road; whatever hope there may be of raising the funds in this country by selling six per cent bonds at 80. with an amortization of one per cent per annum at par, we apprehend there can be no question as to the necessity of importing hands to build the road. Aside from the regular wages paid, homestead grants to the laborer's families should be given along the route, and thus, by pursuing a liberal policy in this respect, the enterprize may be carried out so successfully as to people, the rich, fertile but unproductive territories through which the road will run, and furthermore, endowing the country with a magnificent line of railway.

The Pacific Railway scheme has for its real object to increase the producing classes of the country, and to afford to the farmers of the interior cheap and convenient communication with the seaboard. As to the future traffic of the line, it is perfectly immaterial, since, no matter how much the road may cost, the country must be a gainer by the outlay, as it will call into play new elements which have so long lain dormant in the Plate.

The line from Chivilcoy to Junin will, when completed, open up such an immense extent of territory, that the gains to the country from this part of the road alone will more than pay for the rails to the Planchon, and if the country assumes a debt, and saddles posterity with an obligation, at least there will be something to show for the outlay. A caustic English contemporary observed that the question of peace with Paraguay had for Englishmen very little importance, since it was clear that if the Allies were not fighting with Lopez they would be fighting with someone else; and we regret to say that South American antecedents in a measure justify the remark. But war and revolution have had their day in this part of South America: our weak point now is railways, and it may be also immaterial for our English colleague how long it may take, or how much it may cost to build the Pacific Railway, since when that is finished we will begin another.

Nevertheless, to legalize the present scheme, and to bring it more favorably before the country, more attention should be paid to home matters. The harbor and Boca nuisance must be reformed, and the roads about the city repaired, so that it cannot be said as, an Argentine truism, that whilst we are building a railway to the Andes, the roads about the town are in such a shocking state that no man can drive out after a slight shower to his quinta.

THE NATIONAL EXHIBITION.

We have received through the kindness of Sr. Martinez de Hoz the 'boletin' of the National Exhibition in Cordova, from which we take the following extract, from the pen of Sr. D. Bartolomé Victory, and Suarez, the editor:

There is not a people on the face of the earth enjoying the light of civilisation that does not aspire to glory by means of progress. In all ages, in every country, under every political system, those nations that have reached a certain degree of refinement feel that great want, which can only be satisfied by bringing their industry and economical system to a state of perfection.

Hence it is justly said, that liberty is the soul of progress, and progress the only way to ameliorate the condition of the people.

Because without liberty nations remain at a stand still, revolving perpetually in a useless circle,—because without liberty no stimulus can be given to labour,—because without this free stimulus progress is impossible, unless perhaps in the course of centuries, and after cruel sufferings and sacrifices of every kind.

It is then because the country understands the importance of civilisation, because it enjoys free institutions, because it feels within it the divine spirit of perfection, that it joyfully welcomes the opening of a new road to improvement, and everything conducing to its advance in the path of regeneration.

This is the reason why railways, steamers, telegraphs, inventions applicable to agricultural labour, immigration, assurance companies, credit companies, every idea of practical utility, and exhibitions, are now hailed with joy by every one who thinks of, discusses, or desires the prosperity of the nation.

Those nations that have themselves been unable to hold exhibitions have been amongst the first to contribute their experience, and specimens of their best work to those great collections that have astonished the world under the name of Universal Exhibitions.

All those nations that have been able to raise these temples to the god of Peace and Progress have done all in their power to give expansion to their intelligence, stimulate their activity, and reward those most distinguished in the scientific, artistic, and industrial tournament.

There is no nation in Europe that is not anxious to find in her midst the wonders of an entire world, placing them in those great palaces, where no object can be found that does not reflect the knowledge and power of human intelligence when inspired with the desire of glory.

There is scarcely a single nation amongst those even tolerably refined, that does not hold exhibitions, although limited to certain branches, with the object of encouraging a taste for industrial perfection.

In this part of America where so much has been done in vain, and where so much can be done with advantage, where the elements necessary for such spectacles abound, and the attention of the world might be attracted, for the world knows how great are the resources we possess, exhibitions should also be held, that would awaken public spirit, stimulate human activity, and inspire the people with grateful hope.

Chile will soon have her's, letting the world Judge of her enlightenment, her necessities, and the means by which science and study can contribute to the prosperity of her people. The Argentine Republic is now preparing to try and attract towards Cordova every object by which judgment can be formed of her social state, the nature of her productions, the fruits of her labour, her wants, and her manner of rising from so many years of grief and tears to the enjoyment of liberty and prosperity.

These gatherings, these exhibitions, however, unpretending they may be, not only represent the desire for distinction by means of progress, not only are they necessary for its encouragement, but they entail a sacred duty on every friend of the people, for they afford to each one an opportunity of practically showing the sincerity of his aspirations for the people's happiness.

This Exhibition should be attended by the labourer, the sheepfarmer, the mechanic, the manufacturer, the artizan, the artist, and by all who through study or labour may have extracted a secret from nature, brought her productions to perfection, or realized the importance of his efforts by rendering them of use to his fellow creatures.

As republicanism tends to equalize our rights, so also exhibitions tend to equalize science.

An exhibition recognises no aristocracy, no privileges, no pride that humiliates, or haughtiness that saddens the honest worker.

The angel of knowledge extends her golden wings over all, under their shade the labourer holds his head erect, she sheds around her blessings on the result of the intellectual struggle rich fountains of prosperity are opened and labour, once the heritage of the slave, comes forth crowned with the truest stamp of nobility.

Such has been the object of the Government in founding the Cordova Exhibition, such is the object of the Managing Committee in their desire to respond to the confidence of the Government and so no doubt will it be understood by the Argentine people at seeing at last erected in their midst a temple to Civilization, the dignity of man asserted, and prayer ascending to the God of peace, and national prosperity.

The Chillian Mails.

We take from the *West Coast Mail* the following:—

Valparaiso.

We have had the pleasure of inspecting the plans of the new Presbyterian Church, the preparatory works for the erection of which have already been commenced in Calle San Juan de Dios. The building, including the site, is estimated to cost from 65,000 dollars to 70,000 dollars, and when completed Valparaiso may safely claim to be possessed of the finest sacred edifice, in an achitectural point of view, of any city throughout the West Coast Republics. The building, which is calculated to accommodate 600 persons will be erected under the superintendence of the architect, J. Livingston, Esq., and not A. F. Meakin, Esq., as erroneously stated in our last.

It would appear that the Government has given up all hopes of being able to sell or give away the steamer Valdivia, it having been decided to keep her for the use of the naval training school for boys, to be opened on the 1st March next.

On Sunday afternoon last the massive cornice of the building situate opposite to Messrs. Rose Innes & Co's store in the Calle de la Aduana, came down with a crash. Several children who were returning home from the Sunday School in connection with the Union Church, and who were passing the building at the time the cornice fell, had a most providential escape, all with the exception of two, who received some slight scratches from the falling debris, being unhurt. Had the accident happened at the time a car was passing, or had it taken place a short time earlier, when a large number of children were returning home from the beforementioned school the consequences would, in all probability, have been calamitous. Owing to the accident, traffic on the street railway was suspended for a short time. In consequence of the event referred to, we understand it is probable the authorities will order a minute inspection of the cornices of all the buildings in the principal streets of the city. If this idea be carried out, it is pretty certain that more than one building will be relieved of a superincumbent mass of monumental rubbish, "yclept" cornice, which was called into existence at that remarkable period in the architectural history of Valparaiso, when it was the fashion to make framed buildings fireproof by flooring the upper stories with ponderous half burnt bricks.

The meat inspector of the public slaughter house, has informed the authorities, that trichine has made its appearance to an alarming extent, amongst the animals that 'divide the hoof but do not chew the cud.' We would, therefore, recommend our readers to partake sparingly only, or better none at all, of pork chops, sausages, and the rest of the etceteras into which the flesh of the hog is converted.

Yesterday week about 5 p.m. the city was again thrown into a state of commotion by the ringing of the fire bells. The engines were soon out and on their way to the threatened spot, the Cerro de Santo Domingo—but fortunately their services were not required. The alarm arose from a tin of parrafin, which the careless owner had left in close proximity to a brazier of charcoal, having become ignited, but it was extinguished before any damage resulted. The usual fine was inflicted.

About midday on Tuesday last an accident attended with fatal consequences occurred in a retail store belonging to an Italian named Juan Dalloroso, situated in the Calle de Chacabuco. A shopman of the establishment, named Anjelo Figari, also an Italian, was engaged in arranging a pile of goods, consisting of bales, boxes &c. which, as is usual in all similar establishments, was carried to a great height, in order to make a show, when the greater part of the packages came down by the run upon the unfortunate Figari, who from the suddenness of the disaster and the fact of his being hemmed in by other packages and the counter, had not a chance of escape. Assistance was promptly secured, but on removing the packages life was found to be extinct, the skull of the unfortunate deceased being horribly fractured. The body was conveyed to the Hospital for interment.

According to a note passed by the Minister of the Custom House, the revenue of the Custom House of this port amounted during the past year to 5,430,875 dols. 31c., being an increase of 387,249 dols. 18c. over 1867. The following table shews the amount received in each month during the before mentioned years.

	1867.	1868.
January	$. 205,928 87	$ 252,150 18
February	" 517,881 37	" 543,378 50
March	" 390,018 08	" 460,784 77
April	" 479,586 50	" 518,723 15
May	" 451,860 02	" 541,150 99
June	" 336,012 11	" 380,024 55
July	" 416,276 59	" 330,737 70
August	" 632,322 71	" 634,714 97
September	" 410,752 97	" 241,672 00
October	" 361,590 60	" 415,090 14
November	" 317,454 20	" 448,079 96
December	" 523,942 03	" 664,368 40
	$5,043,626 13	$ 5,430,875 31
		5,043,626 13
Difference in favor of 1868.		$387,248 18

SATIAGO.

A few night since quite a number of the prisoners of the jail made an attempt to escape; fortunately, however their intentions were discovered just in time to prevent it.

A squadron of cavalry left here on the 18th instant for the frontier.

The 'Republica' of the 19th instant says: The day before yesterday, about 11 p.m. a certain individual proceeded with his wife to the banks of the San Miguel aqueduct for the purpose of enjoying the cool of the evening. The husband, who was suffering considerable inconvenience from the heated state of his body, said to his wife; "If the night were not so far advanced, I would plunge headfirst into the canal, for I believe that to be the only manner in which I can calm the heat that is positively consuming me." Scarcely were the words out of his mouth when a mischievous fellow on horseback appeared in sight, and immediately afterwards the wife was entangled among the horse's feet, her cloths torn to pieces, and she herself badly bruised, and half dead with fright No time, however, was allowed the husband to render assistance, for he received a terrible but from the horse which sent him flying into the aqueduct, thus being fulfilled the wish he had expressed only a short time previous of being able to calm the heat that was consuming him. After struggling for some time with the current, he contrived to get out, considerably alleviated with regard to the heat of his body, but at the expense of being very nearly drowned. The horseman was secured and taken to the police station.

On the 16th instant, died at San Bernardo, Doña Jertrudis Perez Mascayano, sister of H.E. the President of the Republic. The deceased lady was highly esteemed by all those who enjoyed the pleasure of her acquaintance.

An exclusive privilege, for the term of five years, has been granted to Messrs. Loring E. Ellis and Dionisio Hinchy for the manufacture of parrafin matches.

SERENA.

According to the "Correo," numerous bands of armed robbers are carrying on their depredations on the farms and gardens on the outskirts of the city.

It is rumored that Don Francisco A. Varela, the Governor of the Department of Coquimbo, has sent in his resignation.

The "Norte" calls upon the ecclesiastical authorities to put an end to an abuse committed by the Capuchin Friars in confessing persons, principally of the tender sex, up to a very advanced hour of the night.

COPIAPO.

A rich 'find' of silver is reported to have taken place in the mine Buena Esperanza.

In consequence of the tempestuous appearance of the sky over the Cordillera, and the continuous lightning prevalent in that quarter, during several days past, it was generally believed that the Andine region had been visited with terrific storms, and a freshet in the river was momentarily expected.

The 'Constituyente' says a series of frauds committed by an ex-cashier of Ossa and Escobar had just been brought to light. The deficit, as far as discovered at present, is stated at $22,000.

Two shocks of earthquake were felt during the past few days.

The Municipality had agreed to offer a premium of from $10,000 to $100,000 for the first artesian well made in the district. The conditions will shortly be made known, as also the precise amount of the premium.

CONCEPCION.

The "Tarántula" of the 16th inst., says it was rumored in that city that the Indians had crossed the Malleco a second time, advancing to within a short distance of Negrete.

It was also reported that General Pinto had ordered the farmers living on the above-mentioned river to withdraw into the forts.

Colonel Saavedra had left Lota for the Malleco.

The contract for the establishment of the gas works was about to be signed.

LOS ANJELES.

The Quiyeco correspondent of the 'Meteoro' says the wheat crop will be abundant, and of good quality, if weather continue fine during the present month.

The same correspondent says:—"The lower class inhabitants of these villages are vile and thievish, and for the sake of a dollar they would kill a fellow-creature with as little compunction as they would a dog."

A man was drowned in the Duqueco on the 11th inst.

A man named Juan Antonio Navarete was assassinated at Santa Barbara on the 13th inst. No clue had been obtained of the perpetrator.

A man named Calderon, who was lost a day and a night in the woods, died in consequence.

PRESIDENT BATLLE'S MESSAGE TO THE MONTEVIDEAN CHAMBERS.

Honorable Senators and Representatives,

I comply with a pleasing duty in addressing you on this day when your labours commence, trusting that you will lend me your valuable assistance in the laborious task of reorganising the country, at the same time laying before you an account of the important events that have taken place during the recess.

The Paraguayan war appears to have been brought to a conclusion by the late victory of the Allies at Angostura and the occupation of the capital of that country.

The recent acts of cruelty perpetrated by Lopez indiscriminately on all his prisoners, Paraguayans or foreigners, on the slightest suspicion, even after his defeat had rendered such crimes useless, add further testimony to the justice of the cause that rendered the alliance against D. Francisco S. Lopez necessary.

A Provisional Paragayan Government will shortly be organised in Asuncion, which perhaps under the sheltering shade of liberty, may in a few brief years efface the effects of the utter disorganisation produced throughout that Republic by the war which it so rashly provoked.

With all other powers our relations continue tobe most cordial, with the exception of some few embarrassing questions, the solution of which may be difficult, the particulars of which will be laid before you in due course.

The financial question which affects the whole country, weighs heavily on this city, but the Government actuated by the best intentions, and taking for guide the safest principles, has not for the present been able to do more than suggest, as it has done, some measures tending to re-establish confidence, without which credit, the most important agent in the development of wealth and prosperity, cannot exist.

An obstinate and dangerous opposition would render useless any efforts that might be made to relieve the pressure, making it impossible to restore credit, which is of the most urgent and vital necessity in those days of trial we are now passing through.

The Government trusts in the good sense and patriotism of the organs of public opinion, and relies above all on your valuable co-operation, in trying to overcome opposition and ill will, and by the establishment of sound banking laws, again placing the Republic on the broad path of universal progress.

One result of this fatal situation has been that the preparation of the budget, in respect to that part authorizing the covering of the deficit, has been rendered impossible, and the decrease in revenue has still further increased the deficit.

Honorable Senators and Representatives, the Executive could not foresee the intensity and duration of the crisis, but under the circumstances they deemed it their duty not to increase a deficit already enormous, trusting thereby to secure your approbation, while leaving the decision entirely in the hands of the Honorable General Assembly.

The slow and inefficient course of proceedure at common law interferes with the means taken by Government for the punishment of criminals, and the Executive calls the serious attention of the Chambers to whatever means may be judged necessary for reforming the administration of justice, and rendering it more expeditious and certain.

Notwithstanding the frequent disturbances in the interior of the country, the Executive hopes, through the rectitude of its intentions, the good sense of the nation, the patriotism of its faithful servants, and your co-operation, to remove all threatening symptoms, and guide the State to a condition of permanent peace, the greatest blessing to which we can aspire.

Honorable Senators and Representatives, I declare duly opened the ordinary sittings of the second period of the tenth Legislature.

LORENZO BATLLE.

AN ENGLISHMAN'S TRIP TO MATTO GROSSO LAST YEAR.

FIRST HALT.

Distant from the capital of Paraná, [Brazilian Province,] is the village of Castro.

As I have already written a description of the Campos Geares, in the Province of Parana, and as these sketches were published, and afterwards translated into the native papers at the time, it is not necessary for me to trouble you with the repetition of them; enough to say that Curityba is the capital town of the Province, and distant from it about thirty leagues is the village of Castro, and here it was that I first caught sight of the Indian. I was at the time a visitor in the house of one Dr. Xavier da Silva, a most hospitable man, a perfect gentleman, and, in many respects, anything but a Brazilian. He, being Municipal Judge, was able to show me many curious sights that, had he been a less important personage, I should have lost; and it was during one of our rambles together in the neighborhood that we fell across a party of Coroado Indians, just about to enter the village, laden heavily with packages of merchandise &c. for trading purposes. This evidently was a sight to which the Doctor was accustomed, as he seemed not to take the slightest notice of the matter, and I have often since felt ashamed of myself at the abrupt and sudden manner I left him in order to satisfy my curiosity, without even so much as asking permission, or excusing myself. But perhaps I may be pardoned, as this was the first time I had seen live Indians. I say 'live,' because the imitation of them is so exact at the Crystal Palace in London that for the moment I felt confused, and was sure I had seen these people somewhere before. But to continue, I left the Doctor, and formed last in the file of marching Indians, and in a few moments afterwards entered the village: here there was a confusion and noise which I will not attempt to describe. Enough to say that the very dogs seemed to know what was the matter, and had it not been for the interference of the villagers on the one side, and the strong strings of bark [sepo] holding the dogs on the other, there would have been a fight, as perhaps was never before witnessed. Little children ran away screaming, and young ladies seemed much shocked at the amount of clothing the Indians thought sufficient for all intents and purposes; but as there is only one street in the village, they had plenty of time to hide themselves before their modesty might have been further offended by a closer inspection.

At about half way down the street there was a partly erected house, and here we halted. In a few moments the packages were unpacked, bundles of arrows, bows, coarse cloths, necklaces of monkeys teeth, leg and arm ornaments, spoons of bark, head ornaments, &c., &c. were placed against the walls. The villagers soon came up to the spot, some out of curiosity, others dragging a miserable dog after them, to be exchanged for something or another, others bringing white beads, &c.

These goods were exchanged for arrows or anything else they had for barter, but I noticed during all these transactions the greatest suspicion existed between the villagers and them, as in no case would they deliver up their arrows, necklaces, or spoons, without first receiving payment, and even then I often heard a kind of grunt which seemed to indicate anything but satisfaction. I of course did as the others; for a couple of common knives, and a few strings of beads I became possessor of five bows, thirty seven arrows, four bark spoons, one necklace, and several leg ornaments taken fresh from the fat legs of an ugly girl of about sweet seventeen.

A minute description of these articles would be very difficult to give, as most of them are made from materials only known to themselves—nevertheless it may not be out of place to give a slight sketch of them as I have often felt much surprized since, that for a few paltry beads they would be content to exchange some half a dozen arrows, each one of which takes them four days to complete.

[To be continued.]

THE PARAGUAYAN WAR.

ARGENTINE EXPEDITION.

Headquarters, Trinidad,
February 5. 1869.

The Commander-in-Chief of the Argentine Army to H.E. Colonel Martin Gainza, Minister of War and Marine.

I have the honor to hand Y.E. herewith the despatch bearing yesterday's date, in which Colonel Frederico G. Baez reports to me the results attained by the expedition under his command, the object of which was to explore as great an extent of the enemy's territory as possible, and to seek out and offer protection to as many fugitive families as might be willing to accept it.

As Y.E. will see by this hurried note, success has crowned our efforts, for we have acquired the certainty that Lopez is concentrating in the mountains the few men still under his orders, while at the same time we have rescued upwards of one thousand poor creatures from the state of misery in which they were living and from the cruel persecutions still awaiting them.

Congratulating Y.E. on the result of this operation, it is a pleasure to me to offer to Y.E. the assurance of my most distinguished consideration.

God preserve Y.E.

E. MITRE.

The Colonel commanding the Paraguayan Legion to H.E. Brig. Gen. E. Mitre, Commander-in-Chief of the Argentine Army.

I beg to acquaint Y.E. with my return from the mission with which you entrusted me. I directed my march through the towns of Caapiara, Itaigua, Ita, Yaguaron, Paraguari, and Carapegua. During the march, we came upon some spies, generally moving about the towns on foot, and on horseback in the mountains; five of them I will have sent before Y.E., in order that you may hear an account of the atrocities perpetrated by the Paraguayan monster on innocent families.

We marched by byroads through the hills, and across marshes without meeting any families; but on entering Paraguay, Serjeant-Major Don Juan B. Egusquisa, who always, together with his company, remained with the advanced guard, ascertained that many families were making for the Cordillera by the Carapegua road. I ordered him to advance as quickly as possible, following myself in order to protect him. He came up with them, and having brought them to halt, told them that his men belonged to the Paraguayan Legion of the Argentine Army, that those who wished to join the tyrant might do so, while those who wished to return would be protected by our troops. All turned back, saying that at last their prayers for their liberators had been heard. Here I remained encamped awaiting those who had been compelled leave their homes. I sent out scouting parties for their protection, and two men were taken, who were, by threats and plunder, forcing them along. Many escaped to the mountains, and were overtaken six leagues off, knowing that protection awaited them, they abandoned all to reach the place where we were.

I was unable to advance further, for the horses of two of the squadrons of the Legion were completely knocked up, for they had done most of the work, and the heat rendered the greater part of them unfit for service. I then commenced my retreat, as I feared it I remained longer that I might meet with some ambuscade in the defile which I had to pass through about three leagues from Tacuarée and Cerro Leon, where I knew Lopez had a few men and spies; but I suffered no annoyance from them, and this proves his weakness, for he must have known by his spies that I had with me only four squadrons for the protection of the thousand souls under my charge, women and old men, many sick and wounded (some of them at the last fight at Cumbarity), and about 200 little boys of from eight to ten years of age, whom Lopez would have made shoulder the musket. I have also brought about 800 head of cattle belonging to the families, some sheep and a few young horses.

We also meet some wild cattle, which I attempted three times to capture; but it is necessary to have good horses, and, above all, to avoid attracting the attention of the enemy. I know from parties who have come from the mines that their sole occupation is making firewood, their machinery having been taken from them, I met with many fields of mandioca and maize, of which I gave rations to the horses. My men had always sufficient meat, and I bring back some very fine oxen.

It now only remains for me to recommend to Y.E. the commanders, officers, and men of the two San Martin squadrons, particularly those of the Paraguayan Legion, who, knowing the ground, worked hardest; but both corps faithfully carried out my orders.

God preserve Y.E.,

FEDERICO G. BAEZ.

EDITOR'S TABLE.

The Proveedor came in yesterday morning, at 9 a.m., from Asuncion, having sailed from the latter place on Sunday, at 10 a.m., with a large number of passengers, Lieutenant Colonel Garmendia and Mr. Craufurd among them. She brought down also a large number of Paraguayan gentlemen, about twenty, the most conspicuous of whom was Don Serapio Machain, one of the candidates for the Paraguayan Presidency. The petition drawn up by the Paraguayans in Asuncion, addressed to the allied Governments, has, we understand, been forwarded to President Sarmiento by the mail brought down by the Proveedor. The petition with the signatures, about 500, measures about seven yards of paper about a foot wide. The

petitioners pray that the allied Governments will lose no time in forming a provisional government, which may take some effective measures to secure private property and reorganise the country, founding themselves upon the official declaration repeatedly made by the allied Governments that they waged war not against the Paraguayan people, but against Lopez, whose power they consider irretrievably broken; and they hold forth the prospect that the new Paraguayan Government may be able to raise an auxiliary force which will materially assist in bringing the campaign to a complete termination. We hold a copy of this petition, translation of which we shall publish in our next number.

Mr. Craufurd visited the advanced posts of the allied army at Luque on Saturday, and just as he was leaving a Brazilian regiment of cavalry, 500 strong, under the orders of Lieut. Col. Alvaro Barbosa, which had been despatched in the morning on a reconnoitring expedition, returned, having reached as far as Itaguá, where they found two Paraguayan officers and four soldiers, set there as scouts whom they made prisoners. Lopez was, when last heard of, at Piragin, beyond Cerro Leon, but keeps constantly on the move, reorganising his forces. At the Mines there are about 300 prisoners of war and foreigners kept there hard at work. The sanitary state of the army, both in Asuncion, Trinidad and Lugue, never was better. The railway is in perfect order, and a truck that has been found is used for the conveyance of maize and corn from Mr. Bravo's Proveeduria to Lugue and back, drawn by sixteen mules, performing two journeys a day. Why an engine has not been sent for, or built on the spot, is a riddle to all, since the saving it would cause would fully repay any small outlay. The gauge of the railway is one metre 68 centimetres, about five feet five inches wider; we believe, than any railway in Buenos Ayres.

In steaming out of Asuncion the Proveedor passed close to the stern of H.M. gun vessel Cracker, where the jovial countenance of her amiable commander Captain Fawkes was conspicuous on the quarterdeck. Not satisfied with waving his hand as farewell to the representative of the "Standard," he ordered the ensign to dipped, a compliment which was highly appreciated, and at once returned by the Captain of the Proveedor. The Beacon, which has gone up to relieve the Cracker, was met by the Proveedor below Corrientes, and is not likely to arrive at Asuncion before to-day or to-morrow.

The Edward Everett, which sailed from Rosario on Tuesday at 1 p.m., got aground in the Palmas Channel just below the mouth of the Capitan stream, owing to the very low state of the tide. The pilot of the Proveedor, an experienced sailor, was of opinion that she would easily get off when the tide rose. The Edward Everett took in thirty passengers at Rosario.

We have to thank Mr. Craufurd for having enriched our museum with a most valuable collection of Paraguayan curiosities, which he has been able to put together at considerable trouble and expense. We shall give a full list of them in our next issue. Most of the articles are on exhibition at our office, the rest being expected in a sailing vessel from Asuncion, and our subscribers are welcome to examine them, free of any charge.

The 'Humboldt' has made a fine passage out, and is due in port this morning, she brings important advices from Rio, which will be found in our telegram. The 'Humboldt' has been refitted in all departments, more especially in the engine departments, she is able to compete in speed with any steamer on the Astronomical line her accommodations are equal if not superior to the best boats running, and her Commander Captain Perry, is deservedly regarded as one of the best and most popular Captains trading with this port, she will sail in a few days for Antwerp, and Liverpool, affording a fine opportunity for parties about to make a pleasant trip to Europe.

The storm on Tuesday night washed the city clean, the lightning was very strong after midnight, and about one o'clock a. m., there came a burst of thunder which awoke half the city. We are happy to say that the River Plate Telegraph Co., suffered nothing by the storm.

We received our Chilian exchanges yesterday, and publish in another column all the news. It appears that the great montonero bugbear Barcla, is at last a prisoner on the west coast, so all fears of an invasion are now dispelled. In Valparaiso, they know nothing as yet of the loss of the Santiago. The Panama will probably be the first to take to that port the gloomy intelligence. The wheat crop in Chile has been very good and heavy shipments are being made to England, and Australia, some cargoes to Rio and the Plate may also be expected.

The shipment of gold to Montevideo still continues, every steamer takes down more or less specie, the Montevidean market, is ever of late years a source of trouble to this place.

The small row boat caught off the Buceo trying to evade quarantine, we are informed, did not contain the cricketers, but we hear that two of our athletic friends, who pushed across to Colonia to catch the steamer Whitehaven, passed the night in the river, arrived at Colonia at daybreak, and were not allowed to land; they then pushed off to an island 4 leagues away, and eventually landed, having to wade up to their chins to gain the shore. Hungry and saturated, they trudged along the sandy beach, arriving at Colonia quite exhausted, just in time to get their tickets and start for Montevideo, where they at last arrived escaping the quarantine. The sorrows of Montevidean cricketers would form a romance.

It may interest the Government people here to know the extent of the business done in the public land office of the United States for the past year. We extract the following from the report of the Minister of the Interior, recently published at Washington:—During the fiscal year 6,655,742½ acres of public lands have been disposed of less by 385,372 acres than that disposed of the previous year. The cash receipts of the office during the same period, from all sources, amounted to $1,632,745, which exceeds the amount received from the same sources the previous fiscal year by $284,883. Nearly one fourth the homestead entries were made under the Act of June 21, 1866, which applies only to the States of Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, Arkansas, and Florida. Lands still undisposed of are 1,405,366,678 acres Measures have been taken for establishing the boundary lines between Nebraska and Colorado, Nebraska and Wyoming, Nevada, Utah, and Arizona and for running the northern boundary of New Mexico.

Thanks to Professor Oldham, the "Standard" barometer is now all right. With the most prophetic precision it indicated the storm yesterday. It is a wonderful improvement to our museum, and far more useful than the full length portrait of Graf von Bismarck. Apropos, we have received some Gran Chaco spoons of the most horrible dimensions; some half dozen of horns seem to have been spoiled in their manufacture. They are worthy of an inspection. Judging by their spoons, the Gran Chaco Indians must have huge mouths.

On Monday evening an attempt was made to break into Mr. Emiliano Martinez's house, in the Calle Peru, which happily was not successful. The attempt was made by a gang of eight Italians, belonging to a still larger and organized band, that has infested the city for some time. Mr. Martinez's movements had been watched by two of the gang for some days, his footsteps being dogged night and day. This aroused suspicion; the police were informed, and one of the men by some means induced to betray his companions. Two policemen were hidden in the shop, who, when the robbers attempted to enter at midnight, immediately fired on them, wounding one man severely; one of the burglars then drew his dagger, but in the scuffle drew the sheath with it, and his attempt to stab one of the policemen consequently failed. Three of the burglars were secured; the remaining five escaped. The whole affair was thoroughly organized on the part of the robbers, scouts having been placed at the corner of each of the neighboring streets, and every possible precaution taken. It is a pity the entire lot were not secured.

In consequence of our remarks on the state of the frontiers, and the documents published on the subject, the Government despatched at an early hour yesterday morning a regiment of artillery to Tandil. They arrived at the Southern Railway terminus at 8 o'clock, and although the company had no previous notice, through the exertions of Mr Banfield, assisted by Mr Escura, they were enabled to start for their destination without any delay. This promptitude of action on the part of the Government cannot be too highly praised, and is another proof of President Sarmiento's watchful solicitude for the interests of our rural population,

ON 'CHANGE.

February 17, 1869.

Ounces,	400
Sovereigns,	122½
Patacons,	25
National Bonds,	54⅜

The bond market to day ruled very unsteady, and notwithstanding the efforts of one or two bulls, it closed flat. The demand for money for Montevidean account still continues. Gold was boxed up today for shipment, as merchants in that market who have hitherto dealt with the Mauá Bank are now obliged to obtain specie from Buenos Ayres in order to carry on their business. There were some new sellers of bonds to day: about 50,000 of the last issue were sold, and several small lots by outsiders also thrown on the market indicated that the public had begun to think that bonds had at last touched their highest; but the keen observers of the market repose little faith in the present fall, believing as they do that it suits the interest of many to allow prices to run down in order to repurchase. Those who have bought largely on time, and who are now called upon to receive their bonds, are compelled to sell, owing to the sudden tightness in the money market, and as there has been a good deal of speculation going on for the last month or so, it is very probable that large amounts of bonds will yet have to be sold.

The fall in the premium on gold in the Montevidean market attracted much notice.

Notwithstanding the banking crisis, paper money has improved some 3 per cent., and the quotation of gold today by telegraph was 5 per cent prem., the lowest yet known since the new banking law came into operation. Telegrams received to day announced a meeting of merchants about to be held in Montevideo to consider the banking question. There can be no doubt whatever that the almaceneros and large native dealers are all strongly in favor of the Mauá Bank. It was said on 'Change today that it rested more with the Baron than with the Government as to whether the liquidation would proceed or not. The statement of the Provincial Bank published this morning attracted much notice. The Bank at present holds the largest specie deposit ever known on its records, and in no previous year have we ever had money so cheap in the month of February, as at present; in fact, it would seem that we have now more capital in the River Plate than is required for legitimate trade. The wool markets are filled with wool, and sales are readily made, whilst the saladeros in Barracas are killing on an average 5,500 a day. For the River there has been an increased demand for specie, but the saladeros are not doing much. The killing at Montevideo for this season is greatly under average. The Fray Bentos Meat Factory is the only estabiishment working on a large scale.

On tomorrow [Thursday] Mr. Billinghurst will sell at Mr Younger's barraca two iron 'chatas'—shipowners and 'lancheros' should take notice.

Gas Shares took a sudden jump up today; there were several buyers, but no sellers under 60 ex div. The affairs of this company are represented as in a most prosperous state. After paying for a large supply of new pipes and other materials, which, owing to the increased business of the company, will be required during the year, the directors have still been able to declare a dividend of 24 per cent. per annum, and large holders state that it is more than probable that the dividend for the ensuing year will be 40 per cent.

In the wool markets to day there was a good deal taken away, and one fine lot belonging to Mr. wen Lynch was sold by M. M Duggan at 63. The very neglected state of the South Market, the place being filled up with 'vasura' and filth of every description, is the constant subject of complaint amongst the buyers. For the last nine months not a single 'vasura' cart has visited that Plaza: piles of offal offend the sight in every quarter, and even the wool brokers say it is too much for them.

The following were the sales in the Once:—

300 ar	Robbio & Hijos	47
600	E Perez	43
500	E & P Raffo	48
2500	M Duggan	63

Most of the consignatarios are depositing their wools.

At the South Plaza very few transactions today.

The Brigada de Artilleria at the station attracted much attention: they left at 11 p.m. in a special train for Tandil.

Wool Sales.

1800 ar good mezcla,	46
500 ar mestiza,	52
1300 ar with carretilla,	50
5 lots at 37, 41, 45, 48, 49	
Dry Hides.	
300 good camp,	130
415 do,	128
220 matadero,	132
1 lot á la balanza,	118
Sheepskins.	
9 lots at 82, 90, 93, 105,	120
100 doz good matadero	135
Horse Hair.	
120 ar long, South,	157
1 lot mezcla,	100
Grease and Tallow.	
Several lots in pausas, 35½, 36 ar.	
80 pipas, in shipping order, 143½ fs.	
Capones.	
1 troop with wool,	26
1215 capones and sheep, pelados, each at	14

VERY LATEST.

Montevideo, February 17, 10.30 p.m.

Humboldt brings dates from Rio to the 11th inst.

Argollo reached Rio on the 10th. Ministers of War and Marine dignitaries and members of the Chamber of Commerce went on board to Isabel to congratulate him. He is so sick he is unable to land.

Marcelio Diaz had 45 cannons and 10 flags as trophies of the 11th of December, 1868.

Flags lodged in Santa Cruz Church.

Funeral service for Gen. Gurjao on the 9th inst.

$2,500 pension for the widow of General Neves.

Jockey Club receives charter: Count Deu elected member.

Carnival riot at San Pedro Theatre.

Thermometer 80 to 86.

Angry dispute between Scully's paper and 'River Plate Mail.'

The Rio Uruguay in quarantine for three days.

Rio Negro sails to-night.

Bustamante requires Gefe Politico to report on Sunday's riots.

Mackinnon submits plans for new prison on Rat Island or Cerro.

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Tycho Brahe	1848 tons.	Humboldt	..1346 tons
Hipparchus	..1840 "	Flamsteed	..1376 "
Kepler	....1499 "	Copernicus	..1397 "
Galileo	.....1525 "	Saladin	.....510 "
Newton	....1074 "	La Plata	....1303 "
Ptolemy	....1115 "	La Plata	....1194 "
Halley	.....1347 "	Doati	.....1182 "

1346 Tons,
Captain PERRY,
Will be despatched from Buenos Ayres (calling at Montevideo) for Southampton and Antwerp, on Friday 26th February.
The Mails, Passengers, and Specie for England will be landed at Southampton.

The S.S. FLAMSTEED,
1376 Tons,
Captain KIDD,
Will be despatched from Buenos Ayres (calling at Montevideo) for Rio de Janeiro, Lisbon, and Liverpool, on or about Friday, 26th February.
The precise dates will be named shortly.
Cargo will be Received on Board until Noon on the Day of Sailing.
Parcels and Specie at the Office of the Undersigned until TWO, P.M., of said Day.
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Lisbon	150	"
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HANDBOOK FOR THE RIVER PLATE.
EDITION FOR 1869
1000 PAGES OCTAVO, WITH MAPS.
Six years have elapsed since we published the first crude edition of our Hand-book and Directory. It had many defects, both in the method of compilation and in the get-up of the work; nevertheless, it was of some utility to the public especially to newcomers. We should have long since published an improved edition, but for the Paraguayan war and other circumstances, especially the great outlay such a work involves. Small and imperfect as the first Handbook was, it cost us over £500 sterling.
The new Handbook will be a great improvement on the last, in fact a work of quite different dimensions and matter: it will form a volume of 1000 pages octavo, with maps, of Buenos Ayres, the River Plate countries, and Monte Video and the edition will be of ten thousand copies. We intended to spare no labor or expense, with the view of making the work as complete as possible, and the price (100$ mjc.) will be much less than is usual for so large a book. To give a synopsis of its contents we may mention the principal chapters or sections, viz—
I. Description of Buenos Ayres, its buildings, institutions, and suburbs.
II. Directory of Foreign Residents (in town).
III. List of principal native houses, shopkeepers &c.
IV. The Province of Buenos Ayres and its sheep-farms.
V. Directory of Estancieros and sheep-farmers
VI. The various partidos, North, West and South.
VII. Abstract of Customs and Municipal laws.
VIII. General view of the Argentine Republic.
IX. Sheep-farming in Entre-Rios.
X. The Central Argentine Railway, Santa Fé and Cordoba.
XI. The Provinces of the Andes.
XII. The upper Provinces, the Rio Vermejo, and Gran Chaco.
XIII. General sketch of Paraguay.
XIV. The Republic of Uruguay; sheep and cattle farms.
XV. Description of Montevideo, city Directory, &c.
We intend to make special notice of all Foreign establishments, companies, institutes, and so-forth: as these matters will be particularly interesting to readers in Europe we beg, of the managers of all such companies and estabitshments to favor us with whatever data they can conveniently afford. For the city, we shall require such information within 15 days from date, and for the camp districts with in the current month of February.
Advertisements will be received to the 20th inst. at the rate of 500$ mjc. per page 300 half page and 200 quarter do.
The edition is intended for circulation during 1869 and 1870; it will appear on May 1st. of the current year.

POR BALBIN y PLOWES—De 1110 cueros salados con averia.
Por orden del agente de Lloyds y por cuenta de quien pertenecsan.
El Lunes 22 del corriente á las 10½ de la mañana en punto y dinero de contado, se rematarán en Barracas 1,110 cueros salados con un poco de averia, beneficiados en el saladero de los Sres. Rocca y Ca. embarcados por los Sres Darbyshire Krabbe y Ca., salvados de la lancha Rafael, los cuales han sido resalados en el saladero nuevo de los Sres. Cambaceres, donde tendrá lugar el remate.
Nota—Los interesados deben ir por el tren que sale á las 10 de la estacion Venezuela. 137,x'8 fd

AVISO—Habiendose estraviado al cobrador de la Bolsa algunos recibos correspondientes al cuarto trimestre del ppdo.; previénese á los Sres. socios que no pagen á otra persona que al mismo cobrador 56,6p,j13. VITALE VIDAL.

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Professor W. J. FRECKER, late of Exeter College, Oxford.
Application to be made at No. 19, Hotel de Provence.
Reference for families:—The Rev Canon Fahey.
Spanish taught to English persons on the approved system, 67,xp,f12

EN LA CALLE MAIPU No. 196 hay seis cuartos amueblados para alquilar. 63,6p,13

STEAMBOATS TO LEAVE
To-day—For Rosario, Parana, and Santa Fe, at 9½ a.m., from the Station, Retiro, the steamer Tuyan.
Saturday—For Zarate, Baradero, and San Pedro, at 9½ a.m., from the Station Retiro, the steamer Tuin.
Sunday—For Asuncion and intermediate ports at 10 a.m., the steamer Proveedor.
Agents—A. MATTI AND PIERA, Cuyo 36½.

TENDERS.

NEW CALL OF THE PROVINCIAL BANK.

For the purpose of having a greater supply of bricks in a short time, the Committee of Building has resolved—That it being required to have one million six hundred and fifty thousand bricks for walling, and one hundred and ten thousand fine bricks for roofing; tenders will be received for lots of four hundred thousand (wall) and twenty-five thousand [tejuela.]
The wall bricks must be 14 inches long 7 inches wide, and 2 inches thick.
The tiles must be 14 inches long, 7 inches wide, and 2 inches thick.
Proposals must be accompanied by plans, which will be opened on the 1st of March.
E. V. ZAMUDIO, Secretary.
February 15, 1869. 120,16p,f18

ARMY BOOTS.

PARTIES having Army Boots or Shoes for sale, wholesale, apply, 'Leather,' Leather,' Standard Office. 128,6p,f18

ROYAL MAIL STEAMPACKET COMPANY.

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The Royal Mail Steampacket
"ARNO,"
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Will leave this Port for Montevideo and Rio de Janeiro,
ON 26th FEBRUARY.
At Rio de Janeiro, the "ARNO" will meet with and will transfer to one of the Company's Transatlantic Packets Passengers and Freight for the following Ports, viz.:—Bahia, Pernambuco, St Vincent [Cape de Verd Islands], Lisbon, and Southampton.
☞ Passengers by this Vessel are requested to embark before FOUR, P.M., on the above-named Day, as the "ARNO" will leave precisely at that hour.
*** CARGO will, in future, be Received on Board the "ARNO" for Rio, Bahia, and Pernambuco.

The Royal Mail Steampacket Company have the following REDUCTIONS in their Passage:—

FARES:
First-class to SOUTHAMPTON,...£35 and upwards.
Ditto, " LISBON,.....£32, Ditto.
Specie: One-Half per Cent.
RETURN TICKETS granted at the above Rates available for TWELVE Months.
A Deduction of ONE-SIXTH made to Families Paying the Higher Rates, when such equal or exceed Four Adult Passages.
The ARNO sails on the 26th of February.
☞ RETURN TICKETS are now Issued to RIO DE JANEIRO, available for SIX Months, with an Abatement of 25 per Cent.
For further particulars, apply to
ABRAHAM ROBINSON,
104,xp,a14 Calle Parque 88.

CEL PORVENIR DE LAS FAMILIAS.
CHILIAN LIFE AND FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

I hereby notify subscribers to this Institution that the resignation of the post I have hitherto filled, presented by me to the Directors, has been graciously received by them, naming as their Banker in this City Dn. Andres F. Lamas, who will fulfill hence-forward.
Buenos Ayres, January 26, 1869.
E.D. RIGLOS.

In virtue of the foregoing, I beg to advise Shareholders that the Banking Establishment of the Company will be at Piedad 215.
The Central Banker,
ANDREW F. LAMAS
231, 1m, F 13.

WATER SUPPLY.
HOUSE SERVICE.
THE MAIN PIPES for the supply of perfectly pure filtered water are now laid in the Calles Libertad, Lima, Rivadavia, Bolivar, Florida, and part of Santa Fé, and water will be supplied to the houses of the persons living in those streets, who apply for it.
The Commission named by the Government, therefore, requests the owners and tenants of houses who wish to have the water laid on to make applications, which will be attended to in order of priority.
The cost of laying the service pipes to houses will be chargeable to the owners or tenants, and will be fixed before commencing the work.
It is as yet difficult to estimate with certainty the amount, but as a general rule it will not exceed $160 mjc. for a single cock in the first patio, to $3,500 for a complete supply all through the house.
For manufactures and special establishments of all kinds, the price will be according to agreement.
In every case the supply will be unlimited and constant, that is, any quantity of water may be drawn from the cocks at any hour, day or night.
The scale of prices for the supply will be as follows, and has been approved of by the Government.—

WATER SUPPLY.
MONTHLY SCALE OF CHARGES.
Private houses.....3 per cent. on the rent.
Hote's, 1st class .....$20 per room.
Do. 2nd class..... 20 do.
Do. 3rd class..... 15 do.
Restaurants and Cafes:

1st class	£8
2nd ditto	500
3rd ditto	300

Bathing Establishments by metre, at the rate of $2 per 100 gallons.
Stables, $16 per stall
Carriages, $20 each
Bakeries, $300 do
Smith Shops, $50 per forge

Shops generally	Rent being over $4000....	$70
Bazaars,	Do. 2500 to 4000..	55
Stores,	Do. 1000 to 2500..	40
Confectioners,	Do. below 1000....	30
Apothecaries,		
Shoemakers,		
Tailors,		
&c. &c.		
Manufactories, Banks, Bolsa, Railway Stations, Markets, Clubs, Special Establishments, Schools, Printing Offices, Custom House Stores, Gardens, Steam Engines, &c &c	By agreement.	
Water Carriers, $300 per cart.		

The price will be regulated according to the amount of consumption, and the number of fire cocks required.
In Manufactories, Stores, and every other kind of establishment, piping, cocks, and hose can be provided, both for supply and for immediate use, to flood the establishment, if necessary, in case of fire.
The pressure in the pipes will be sufficient to throw the water, by means of a hose, to a height of 15 varas over the roof of the highest building in Buenos Ayres—for instance, the Church of San Miguel.

EXTENSION OF THE PIPING.
As the Government wishes to extend over the largest area the advantages and economy which a supply of water in the houses will afford, the Commission has been authorised to lay pipes in the streets not as yet provided with them, by means of advances, on account of the rates for supply, to be made by the inhabitants.
The Commission, therefore, with authority from the Government, will provide water mains for the entire city on the following conditions:—
1. The inhabitants of any square can have the pipes laid in it, including the service pipes as far as the doors of the houses, by paying on account of the future supply $18,000 (eighteen thousand dollars currency), which would be equivalent to $65 (sixty-five dollars currency) per vara of frontage.
2. In exchange for this advance, the Commission will hand over rules which will serve for the payment for the water to be supplied, and which may be used in any part of the city.
3. At the Boca calle and centre of each square will be placed a hydrant, or fire-cock, from which water can be taken for watering the streets, or in case of fire, when, as before stated, it can be thrown, without any necessity for fire-engines, fifteen varas over the roof of the highest house.

PUBLIC STAND PIPES.
At the public stand pipes in the plazas and at other convenient points—in all thirty—the public can take water gratis, for private or public use, but not for sale.
Those who take water for sale, water-carriers or others, will pay at the established rate.

The Commission thinks it unnecessary to dwell on the advantage of an unlimited house supply of water, and will give any information required in the office, established for the time at Mr. Coghlan's 87 Reconquista.
Buenos Ayres, February, 1869.
THE COMMISSION.

WATER SUPPLY.
87—RECONQUISTA—87
Mr. COGHLAN'S Office.
Persons who require Water supplied in their houses can get any information they require at the above Office, where orders will be taken for the laying of service pipes, &c.
Feb. 17, 1 m, 119

CARLOS F. ROBERTSON,
Civil Engineer,
Has removed his Office to 32 Calle Belgrano. 84,f13

POR FRANCISCO F. DE LA SERNA—De una importante barraca de frutos del pais en el Riachuelo frente al muelle de la guardia vieja.
Por liquidacion de la testamentaria de D. Juan Bautista Altha Begoity.
El Miercoles 17 de Febrero, á las 6 en punto de la tarde, se venderá á la mejor oferta y dinero de contado la barraca que queda designada cuyo edificio y extencion del edificio es el siguiente.
Edificio—En cal y de maderas fuertes con frente al Este y al muelle viejo calle por medio de la rivera, un gran porton y á cada lado un almacen dividido en cuartos sobre los que hay 8 piezas con balcones divididos en dos departamentos. A continuacion de estos por el costado Sud un almacen bajo en que está colocada la prensa para enfardar, y arriba en toda la estencion de este, otro aparente para granero. Al fondo un gran deposito con todo el frente del terreno y 14 varas de ancho, además caballeriza, pozo, letrinas y algunos cuartos para peones.
El costado Norte todo está cercado de pared en cal. El establecimiento queda media cuadra de la estacion y el telegrafo del F. C. de la Ensenada.
Terreno—De frente al Este 28 varas de fonde al Oeste por el costado Sud que hace frente á la calle nueva que cruza del Riachuelo para la calle larga de Barracas 4 varas por el costado Norte lindando con terrenos valdios, 63 varas. El frente al Norte de la calle nueva, toda está ocupada con edificios modernos y valiosos.
Libramos al buen criterio de los Sres. licitadores, el gran porvenir que le está reservada á esta localidad luego que se haya realizado la canalizacion de la Boca, tan perentoriamente reclamada por la bigiene publica de la ciudad, como por los intereses economicos de la provincia puesto que no existe ningun otro paraje que reuna iguales ventajas para el puerto de carga y descarga de esta aduana.
Provenimos que la venta se efectuará en la misma Barraca á la hora puntual que queda fijada. 73,6p,f13

LA BRISA DEL SUD
9—Tacuari—11
Yo abajo firmado aviso al publico que he traspasado el despacho de diligencias como antiguamente á la calle de Tacuari 9 y 11 desde el 15 de Febrero, de Chascomus al Moro y en los puntos intermedios como de costumbre, asi espero la proteccion del publico en general.
f13 SISTO CHACON.

THE FINE AMERICAN STEAMER EDWARD EVERETT, FOR ROSARIO AND INTERMEDIATE PORTS.
Will leave the Inner Roads on Sunday morning at Ten a.m.
TARIFA:
Small Parcels received up till Five o'Clock on Saturday evening:—

Rosario	$12
San Nicolas	10
Hermanos	10
Obligado	8
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Zarate	5

Steerage, Half price. Freights, f 56 per tonalado, at 4 percent. cubic feet.
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For further particulars apply at the Agency—
HENRY DOWSE,
67—Calle 25 de Mayo—67. 88,6p113

MR. A. C. ROLFE is particularly requested to call at the Steamboat Agency, Henry Dowse, No. 67 Calle 25 Mayo, for Two Boxes, Luggage left in deposit, despatched from the Custom house in the Packet Arno. If not called for in the term of [1] one month from this date, they will be sold to defray expenses.
Feb. 9, 1869. 89 6p,f13

PROVINCIAL BANK.
The Public are hereby informed that there have lately been put into circulation Five Thousand Dollar Bills, bearing date the 1st of April, 18 7, and having a Vignette representing the Province of Buenos Ayres. The differences are:—Very thin paper, without margin or water mark. The Engraving is badly executed and enables the forgery to be easily detected. The back is very thin and the word "mil" scarcely legible. The numbers are very small and badly done.
E. V. ZAMUDIO, Secretary.
February 11, 1868 91,1m,f16

SHIP CHANDLERY STORE,
39—PASEO DE JULIO—39
The Proprietor being about to retire, is desirous to treat, by private bargain, for the disposal of the Goodwill and Stock in Trade of this old-established and well-known business.
Terms and particulars may be learned on application personally, or by letter, addressed to the Store. 79,10p,f13

SEWING MACHINE for SALE—A splendid article, works beautifully, and all complete, only a few weeks in use. It will be sold very cheap, as the owner is about to leave the country. Apply at once, Calle Rivadavia 573, down stairs, Plaza Lorea. In the morning till Eleven. Evening, after Four o'Clock. English spoken. 75,6p,f13

PIANO FOR SALE, a first-rate article, in perfect order, and very cheap, as the owner wants to dispose of it at once. Apply at Calle Rivadavia 573 (down stairs), Plaza Lorea. In the morning till Eleven, and Evening after Four. English spoken. 74,6p,f13

A BARGAIN.
ANY Person wishing to start in the business of Café and Billiard Rooms, will find a reasonable and cheap one, at Calle 25 de Mayo, No. 148. 77,6p,f13

CRIMEAN BEDS.
Just received, a new supply of the above highly suitable articles for the season, and residents in the country, at J. Underwood's, Potosi No. 95. 264,1m,f13

MR. EBENEZER BURRELL, who arrived some few weeks past in the S.S. Tycho Brahe, is requested to send his address to Mr. Thomas Ellis, Estancia Santa Helena, Carmelo, Banda Oriental. 44,6p,f13

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned begs leave to inform the Commercial Public, that he has removed his Office to Calle Defensa, No. 29, opposite the Auction Mart, which he formerly occupied, and begs to offer his services to his Friends and the Public in general, as Public Auctioneer and Commission Agent, taking charge of sales in all the different branches of business, as also of household furniture, house and land property, &c., either by private or public sale.
107,6pf17 ADOLFO L. ARRIOLA.

NOTICE.

WE, the Undersigned, hereby advise the Public that Mr. Charles Ayre has ceased to be in any way connected with the Estancia San Salvador, on which he was employed by us.
We further state, for the guidance of those whom it may concern, that said Mr. Ayre, not having our authorisation, any transactions which he may have entered into are hereby declared null and void.
L. J. ISAAC,
VI ENTE RICKETS.
GUILLERMO T. RICKETTS.
109,1m,j17

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PASSAGE TO ENGLAND GRATIS—A Lady about to return to England requires a Nurse to attend a child. The nurse must speak Spanish and English. Apply 'Maid,' Standard Office. 129,6p,f18

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For further particulars apply to Twentymann and Isaac, Montevideo; L. J. Isaac and Co., Buenos Ayres; M. Grané, Doiorus; Luis Costa, Mercedes; or to the Manager, Don Guillermo Dale, on the Estancia. 108,1m,f17

GREAT SOUTHERN RAILWAY.
NOTICE.
For the greater security of passengers' luggage at the Central Station in the Calle Lima, the Company has granted 'Numbers' to certain street peons of known respectability, whom it recommends to the Public.
Any complaint to the Station Master, at the Calle Lima, of incivility or irregularity, on the part of these peons, will be attended to.
E. BANFIELD,
January 2, 1869. General Manager.

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FROM this date the English Confiteria, 58 of the East, will be closed on Sundays.
B. Ayres, Jan. 28 W. G. KEYSER.
256,6p,jy30

SEWING MACHINE—GREAT BARGAIN A lady leaving for the States wishes to dispose of a first class Sewing Machine. Apply at Room 14, Hotel San Martin. 21,6p f6

REMOVAL.
WILLIAM SOUTHRON begs to advise his customers that he has removed from 149 Calle Defensa, to No. 110, same street. 94,xp,jy14

LICITACION
PARA LA VENTA DE LA IMPRENTA A VAPOR DEL BANCO DE LA PROVINCIA.
Se reciben proposiciones para la venta de la imprenta á vapor del Banco hasta el 20 del corriente.
Por el Secretario se pondrá de manifiesto dicha imprenta á los que se interesen en su compra. 4,15,f2

MR. JOHN LANGLEY, of London—Your Brother, Captain Brownrigg requests you to write. 143,jy19

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TO LET, suitable for a married couple, three or four Rooms, with a Kitchen, a fine house, dry, boarded, and papered Apply 343 Corrar. 68,6p,f13

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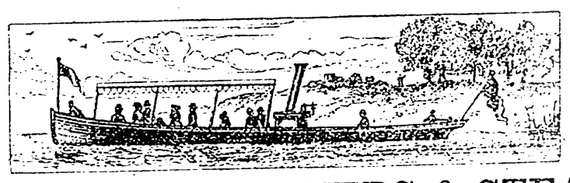

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Residence .....

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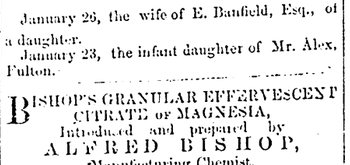

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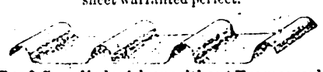

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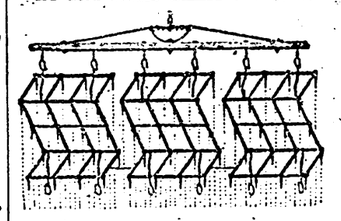

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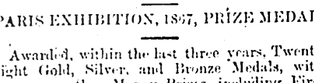

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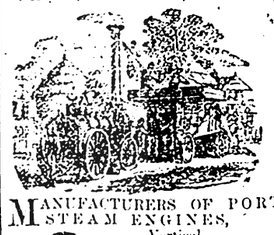

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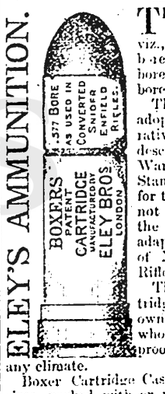

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